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SUBJECT: RECENT INCIDENTS IN AREA BETWEEN THE LINES ON
CYPRUS

REF: A) STATE 287579; B) NICOSIA 3870; C) ANKARA 8966

TURKISH EMBASSY COUNSELOR PELIT CALLED ON DEPARTMENT
(EUR/SE) OFFICER NOVEMBER 30 IN RESPONSE TO LAINGEN CON-
VERSATIONS OF NOVEMBER 22-23 (REFTEL A) WITH TURKISH CHARGE
NURES RE KAIMAKLI INCIDENT. PELIT NOTED THAT IMMEDIATE
PROBLEM HAD BEEN RESOLVED BY NOVEMBER 24 DENKTASH MEETING
WITH UNFICYP (REFTEL B). HE URGED, HOWEVER, THAT US MAKE
CLEAR TO UN IMPORTANCE OF KEEPING QUOTE METICULOUS UNQUOTE
RECORDS ON WHO IS ESCORTED INTO AREA BETWEEN THE LINES,
INCLUDING DATES AND ACTIVITY UNDERTAKEN SINCE SUCH RECORDS
WILL PLAY KEY ROLE IN FUTURE UN/TURKISH EFFORT TO DETER-
MINE EXACT NATURE AND EXTENT OF FARMING ACTIVITY. DEPT
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OFFICER MADE NO COMMITMENT TO THIS REQUEST EXCEPT TO URGE

THAT FUTURE PROBLEMS SUCH AS KAIMAKLI COULD BEST BE RE-
SOLVED THRU DISCUSSIONS WITH UNFICYP RATHER THAN ALLOWING
TENSIONS QUICKLY TO ESCALATE AS HAD APPARENTLY BEEN CASE
LAST WEEK. ROBINSON

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